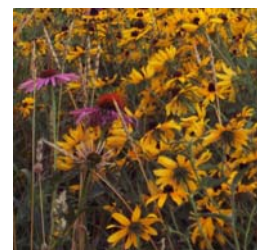


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PowerPoint Presentations

- Digging Into Rain Gardens (overview)
- The Value of Rain Gardens (stand-alone or use as Part A of a workshop)
- How To Build a Rain Garden (stand-alone or use as Part B of a workshop)

How To Build a Rain Garden

- Rain Gardens: A how-to manual for homeowners -UWEX/DNR Manual
- How to build a rain garden brochure -Dane Co. Lakes & Watersheds Commission
- Build your own rain garden design sheet - Taylor Creek Nursery
- Rain Gardens: A household way to improve water quality in your community -UWEX/DNR brochure

Plant Lists & Resources

- Rain Garden Plant List for Birds & Butterflies - In interactive, Word, or pdf formats
- Shady Rain Garden Plant List - In interactive, Excel, or pdf formats
- *Native Plant Sources* -DNR/UWEX, update available summer 2004 at <http://dnr.wi.gov/org/water/wm/dsfm/shore/documents/nativeplants.pdf>
- *"Plants for Stormwater Design - Species Selection for the Upper Midwest"* -MN Pollution Control Agency

Demonstration Sites

| <u>County</u> | <u>City</u> | <u>Site</u> |
|---------------|----------------|---|
| Brown | Green Bay | Ed & Julia Bowden Residence |
| Columbia | Arlington | Arlington Ag Research Station |
| Columbia | Lodi | Lodi Veterans' Memorial Park |
| Dane | Madison | Café Zoma |
| | | Jim Bertolocini Residence |
| | | Edgewood College |
| | | Williamson Street Grocery Cooperative |
| Dane | Verona | West Madison Agricultural Research Station |
| Douglas | Superior | Superior Wastewater Treatment Plant |
| Jefferson | Fort Atkinson | Pond Hill Dairy |
| Jefferson | Palmyra | Langmanor Farm |
| Jefferson | Jefferson | UW-Extension Office |
| Marinette | Marinette | Stephenson Island |
| Milwaukee | Milwaukee Area | Auto Paradise Imports |
| | | Brand Auto |
| | | Dave Ciepluch Residence |
| Portage | Stevens Point | Lynn Markham Residence |
| Racine | Caledonia | Ponds of Caledonia Conservation Subdivision |
| Waupaca | Waupaca | Stiebs Jeep-Eagle Dealership |
| Wood | Marshfield | Griese Park |

Articles

Approximately 20 newspaper and magazine articles about rain gardens

Websites

Internet resources on the following topics:

- Rain Garden Basics
- How to Build a Rain Garden
- Rain Garden Publications
- Rain Garden Plant Resources
- Rain Garden Examples and Case Studies
- Links to More Links
- Rain Barrels
- Model Weed Ordinance
- Stormwater



Speakers

Region/City

Name & Affiliation

Statewide

Wild Ones
Wisconsin Master Gardener Program

Northern Wisconsin

Superior Diane Thompson, Superior Wastewater Treatment Plant
Spooner John Haack, Basin Educator, St. Croix Basin
Eau Claire Darren Lochner, Basin Educator, Lower Chippewa Basin
Rolf Utegaard, Eau Claire Co. Landscape Demonstration Center

Central Wisconsin

Stevens Point Lynn Markam, Shoreland & Land Use Specialist, UWEX Ctr for Land Use Education
WI Rapids Tom Jerow, DNR Basin Supervisor

Northeast Wisconsin

Green Bay Paul A. Hartman, UW-Extension Horticulture Agent, Brown Co.
Oshkosh Catherine Neiswender, Winnebago Co. Community Development Educator, UWEX
Rosemary Eiden, UW-Extension Horticulture Agent, Winnebago Co.

Madison Area

Madison Sue Ellingson, President, Madison Wild Ones
Ken Potter, Professor of Civil & Environmental Engineering
UW-Madison Arboretum & Earth Partnership for Schools
Steve Banovetz, Agrecol Corporation
Ellen Rulseh, Partnership for Raingardens, L.L.C.
Verona Judith Reith-Rozelle, West Madison Agricultural Experiment Station
Brodhead John Gishnock, Applied Ecological Services
Jefferson Suzanne Wade, UW-Extension Basin Educator-Upper/Lower Rock R. Basin

Milwaukee Area

Hartland LeeAnne Dukes, UW-Extension Milwaukee Master Gardener
West Allis Jennifer Erickson, Basin Educator, Milwaukee & Sheboygan River Basins
Racine Nan Calvert, Environmental Education for Everyone

Workshops & Tours - Sample Materials

- **Dane County Rain Garden Tours**
2003 Brochure
2002 Brochure
- **Jefferson County UWEX Rain Garden Workshops**
Flyer
Press Release
Curriculum Suggestions for Teachers
- **UW-Extension West Madison Ag Research Station Workshop**
Seminar Agenda
- **Handouts**
Short Plant List (Word)
Web Resources (Word)



Research Projects

Dane County, Wisconsin:

- Long Term Water Budget of Two Rain Gardens in Madison, WI
- Design and Evaluation of Rain Gardens for Enhancement of Groundwater Recharge
- Rain Garden Street Pilot Project

Seattle's Street Edge Alternatives Project:

- Hydrologic Monitoring of the Seattle Ultra-Urban Stormwater Management Projects

Digital Photo Library

About 150 photos in three sizes: thumbnail, screen quality, and print quality.

Video from *Into The Outdoors*

Watch the planting of a rain garden, aired on the kids' nature show, *Into The Outdoors*. Quicktime or Windows Media Player formats.

Feedback & Order Form

- Rain Garden Educator's Kit Order Form
- Contact information

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